



***The Gifted and Talented Education Advisory Council***  
**Kentucky Department of Education**  
**Meeting to be held virtually via Microsoft Teams (See invite for link)**  
**June 16, 2020**  
**9:00am to 12:00pm ET**

*Purpose: The Gifted and Talented Education Advisory Council (GTE) is hereby created for the purpose of advising both the Department of Education and Board of Education on issues relating to the provision of educational services for gifted and talented students in the Commonwealth.*

**AGENDA**

- I. Roll Call**  
Dr. Julia Roberts, Chair, WKU Center for the Gifted
- II. Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes**  
Dr. Julia Roberts, Chair, WKU Center for the Gifted
- III. Welcome**  
Kevin C. Brown, Interim Commissioner  
Kentucky Department of Education
- IV. KAGE Update**  
Lynette Baldwin, Director, Kentucky Association of Gifted Educators
- V. Summer Learning**  
Dr. Amanda Ellis, Associate Commissioner, Office of Teaching and Learning  
Dr. Kelly Foster, Associate Commissioner, Office of Continuous Improvement and Support  
Kentucky Department of Education  
*Guiding Question: What guidance exists to address the specific needs of GT students?*
- VI. Re-entry Guidance: Teaching and Learning Stage 1**  
Krista Hall, Office of Teaching and Learning - Division of Academic Program Standards  
Misty Higgins, Office of Teaching and Learning - Division of Academic Program Standards  
Kentucky Department of Education  
*Guiding Question: How are GT teachers involved with the process of re-entry planning?*
- VII. School Health Update**  
Angela McDonald, Office of Finance & Operations – Division of District Support  
Kentucky Department of Education  
*Guiding Question: What types of additional resources and support are needed to support school health?*

**VIII. Gifted and Talented Education Discussion Items**

April Pieper, Academic Program Manager, Guidance and Support Branch

Dr. Julia Roberts, Chair, WKU Center for the Gifted

*Guiding Question:* What format would be most effective for Visual and Performing Arts resources? *An update on the Social-Emotional Learning brochure will also be provided*

**IX. Closing Comments and Adjournment**

Kevin Brown, Interim Commissioner

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**Future Meetings:**

- August 27, 2020